## PATENT APPLICATION

INITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

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Manabu NOHARA

Art Unit: 2683

Serial No.:

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Examiner: James D. EWART

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For:

POSITIONING APPARATUS, POSITIONING METHOD, AND

POSITIONING SYSTEM

## PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

**Commissioner for Patents** P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: October 24, 2005

Sir:

Applicant(s) petition for an extension of time for one month for response to the outstanding Office Action dated June 22, 2005 from September 22, 2005 to October 22, 2005.

Please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2300 in the amount of \$120.00 to cover the fee discussed above. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee deficiency or credit any overpayment associated with this communication to Deposit Account No. 01-2300, referencing Docket No. 107156-00099.

Respectfully submitted,

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